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PROCEEDINGS OF THE SENATE RESPECTING THE AFFILIATION OF THE UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO TO THE UNIVERSITIES OF OXFORD, CAMBRIDGE AND DUBLIN.

Resolution adopted by the Senate on the 13th May, 1895.

Moved by Mr. Thomas Hodgins, seconded by Chancellor Burwash, and *Resolved*, that a special committee be appointed to ascertain and report upon what conditions this University may be admitted to the special affiliation privileges provided for Colonial and Indian Universities by the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge and Dublin, as indicated in the calendars of the said Universities.

That the said special committee consist of the Chancellor, the Vice-Chancellor, President Loudon, Chancellor Burwash, Professor Pike, Professor Hutton, Principal Sheraton, and Mr. Hodgins (Convener). Carried.

Report of the Special Committee presented to the Senate on the 25th June, 1895.

The Special Committee on the application of this University to the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge for special affiliation privileges, presented the following report:

To the Senate of the University of Toronto:

The Special Committee appointed to ascertain and report upon what conditions the University of Toronto may be admitted to the special affiliation privileges provided for Colonial Universities by the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge, herewith append the correspondence and the statutes and regulations prescribed by the said Universities, setting forth the conditions upon which this University may obtain such affiliation privileges. (See Appendices A. and B.)

Your committee have drafted forms of application to be made by the Senate to the respective Vice-Chancellors of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge for the grant of the privileges of affiliation desired by this University, and herewith submit the same for approval. (See Appendices C. and D.)

All of which is respectfully submitted.

(Signed.) THOMAS HODGINS,
Chairman.

17th June, 1895.

A.

Application to the University of Oxford.

The Chairman of the Committee to the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Oxford.

Toronto, 14th May, 1895.

Sir,—The Senate of the University of Toronto has appointed a Special Committee to ascertain and report upon the terms and conditions under which the University may be admitted to the special privileges of affiliation provided for Colonial and Indian Universities as set forth in your University Calendar.

On behalf of that committee I have the honor to request that a copy of the University statutes or regulations prescribing the conditions under which our University can be admitted to such affiliation privileges, may be forwarded to me.

I have the honor, etc.,

(Signed) THOMAS HODGINS,
Chairman of Committee.

The Vice-Chancellor of the University of Oxford.

The Secretary to the Delegates of the University of Oxford to the Chairman of the Committee.

Clarendon Building, Broad Street,
Oxford, May 28th, 1885.

Sir,—I am desired by the Vice-Chancellor to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of May 14th, and to forward to you some copies of the statute under which Indian and Colonial Universities are admitted to certain privileges.

It may be convenient for me to add that the delegates of Local Examinations are charged with framing regulations respecting students under this statute. These regulations are to be found in the documents sent herewith.

Yours very truly,

(Signed) H. T. GERRANS,
Secretary to the Delegates of Local Examinations.

T. Hodgins, Esq.,
Toronto.

[*Enclosure.*]

Statt. Tit. II., Sectio VII.—On Colonial and Indian Universities.

1. Any University situated in any part of the British Dominions, other than the United Kingdom, may apply to this University to be admitted to the privileges of this section of the Statutes.

2. The application shall be addressed to the Vice-Chancellor, who shall report the same to the Hebdomadal Council.

3. The Hebdomadal Council, after considering such application and after making such inquiry as it shall deem necessary, shall, if it think fit, propose to Convocation that the University so applying shall be admitted to the privileges of this section of the Statutes.

4. (*a*) Any person who shall have pursued during two full years a course of study prescribed by a University which has been admitted to the privileges of this section, and shall have passed all the Examinations connected with the course, may, although he shall not have been matriculated, or having satisfied the Masters of the Schools at Responsions or in an Additional Subject, be admitted to any one or more of the following Examinations, viz., any part of the First Public Examination, any Preliminary Examination in the Second Public Examination.

(*b*) Any such person who shall either have passed the Examination of Candidates not seeking Honors in the First Public Examination, or have obtained Honors in Greek and Latin Literature or in Mathematics in that Examination, or have satisfied the Moderators in the School of Mathematics in the subjects specified in Statt. Tit. VI. Sect. 1 B § 2. 11, or have passed the Preliminary Examination in Mechanics and Physics and in Chemistry in the School of Natural Science, or the Preliminary Examination in Jurisprudence, shall, if he is matriculated not later than the Michaelmas Term next following, be entitled to the following privilege, viz., the Term in which he is matriculated shall be reckoned, for the purposes of any provisions respecting the standing of members of the University, as the fifth Term from his matriculation.

(*c*) Any person who shall have been matriculated under the provisions of clause (*b*) may be admitted to any part of the Second Public Examination, if he has passed Responsions, or one of the Examinations which under Stat. Tit. VI. Sect. 1. give exemption from Responsions, or has passed the Examination of Candidates not seeking Honors in the First Public Examination, or has obtained Honors in Greek and Latin Literature in that Examination, or has passed a Preliminary Examination having satisfied the Examiners in a Greek book, and if he has also passed the Examination in Holy Scripture (or in a book offered instead thereof); provided that, if he has not obtained Honors in either the First or the Second Public Examination, he shall not be admitted to the Final Honor Examination in the School of Natural Science until he has satisfied the conditions of Statt. Tit. VI Sect. 1. C. § 5. cl. 7; and that, if he has not obtained Honors in the Second Public Examination, he shall not be admitted to the Final Honor Examination in the School of English Language and Literature until he has passed the First Public Examination.

(*d*) Any person who was born in India of parents who were born in India, and who shall have been matriculated under the provisions of clause (*b*), and who shall have passed the Examination in Holy Scripture (or in a book offered instead thereof), may be admitted to any part of the Second Public Examination: provided that, if he has not obtained Honors in either the First or the Second Public Examination, he shall not be admitted to the Final Honor Examination in the School of Natural Science until he has satisfied the conditions of Statt. Tit. VI. Sect. 1. C. § 5. cl. 7; and that, if he has not obtained Honors in the Second Public Examination, he shall not be admitted to the Final Honor Examination in the School of English Language and Literature until he has passed the First Public Examination.

(*e*) Any person who shall have been admitted to the Second Public Examination under the provisions of clauses (*c*) and (*d*) shall be entitled to supplicate for the degree of Bachelor of Arts so soon as he shall have passed the Second Public

Examination and shall have kept statutable residence for eight Terms, provided that he has obtained honors either in the First or in the Second Public Examination.

5. The Delegates of Local Examinations shall make regulations respecting—

(1) The registration of persons who have been matriculated under the provisions of this section.

(2) The granting of certificates to such persons showing that they have satisfied the special conditions under which they are admitted to the University Examinations, or under which they are entitled to supplicate for the Degree of Bachelor of Arts.

(3) The sending in of names to the Secretary to the Boards of Faculties and the producing of certificates to the Secretary to the Boards of Faculties by or on behalf of persons who avail themselves of the privileges granted by this section.

6. No person already matriculated in this University shall be admitted as a Candidate in any part of the First Public Examination, other than the Examination in Holy Scripture, under the provisions of this Statute.

7. Any University admitted to the privileges conferred by this section of the Statutes may at any time renounce such privileges, and this University may at any time withdraw the same by a vote of Convocation.

B.

Application to the University of Cambridge.

The Chairman of the Committee to the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Cambridge.

Toronto, 14th May, 1895.

Sir,—The Senate of the University of Toronto has appointed a Special Committee to ascertain and report upon the conditions under which the University may be admitted to the special privileges of affiliation provided for Colonial and Indian Universities and set forth in your University calendar.

On behalf of that Committee I have the honor to request that a copy of the University Statutes, or regulations prescribing the conditions under which our University can be admitted to such affiliation privileges, may be forwarded to me.

I have the honor, etc.,

(Signed), THOMAS HODGINS,
Chairman of Committee.

The Vice-Chancellor of the University of Cambridge.

The Secretary of the Council of the University of Cambridge to the Chairman of the Committee.

SYNDICATE BUILDINGS,
CAMBRIDGE, 1st June, 1895.

DEAR SIR,—The Vice-Chancellor has requested me to reply to your letter to him of the 14th ult.

The general regulations for institutions affiliated to the University of Cambridge were somewhat modified last year, and I send you accordingly a copy of the regulations now in force.

Any application from the University of Toronto for affiliation should contain particulars as to the course of instruction and examinations provided for the class of students on whose behalf the application is made. A copy of the calendar of the University of Toronto should be sent at the same time. The application should of course be addressed to the Vice-Chancellor.

I am sending you two reports of the Council of the Senate relating to the affiliation of the University of Adelaide, which may perhaps be of some assistance to you in any action which you may take.

I am, yours faithfully,

(Signed) J. N. KEYNES,
Secretary of the Council of the Senate.

T. HODGINS, Esq.,
Toronto.

[*Enclosure.*]

GENERAL REGULATIONS FOR THE AFFILIATION OF LOCAL COLLEGES.

Report of Council of Senate, 4 June, 1894. Grace, 14 June, 1894.

1. Any student of an affiliated institution who shall have continued a member of it for such length of time, not less than two years, and shall have attended such lectures and passed such examinations as may be required from time to time by grace of the Senate, shall, if admitted as a member of the University, be entitled to either or both of the following privileges: (1) to be excused all the parts of the previous examination (including the additional subjects); (2) to be allowed, for the purposes of any provision respecting the standing of members of the University, to reckon the first term kept by residence as the fourth term of his residence, and, provided he obtains a degree by one of the Tripos Examinations, to proceed in due course to the B.A. or LL.B. degree.

2. In the case of any student claiming to be admitted to the privileges of affiliation, a certificate of having fulfilled the prescribed conditions, signed by the registrar or other competent authority of the affiliated institution, shall be presented for registration to the registrary in the student's first term of residence, and a fee of £2 shall be paid at the same time to the registrary for the University chest.

3. Certificates of having fulfilled the prescribed conditions, if not presented in a student's first term of residence, shall not be accepted for registration without the express permission of the Council of the Senate.

4. Students claiming to be admitted to the privileges of affiliation shall be required (1) to have fulfilled all the prescribed conditions before matriculation, (2) to matriculate and to pay the usual fee of £5.

University of Adelaide.

Report of Council of Senate 8 June, 1891. Grace 18 June, 1891.

1. That the University of Adelaide be adopted as an institution affiliated to the University of Cambridge.

2. That graduates of the University of Adelaide who have satisfied the examiners in Latin and one other language, not being English, in any one or more of the examinations held by that University, be entitled to be admitted to the privileges of affiliation.

3. That matriculated students of the University of Adelaide who have completed therein two academical years of study, and have passed the First and Second Annual Examinations for the degree of Bachelor of Arts, Science, Laws or Medicine, be entitled to be admitted to the privileges of affiliation, provided that in some one or more of the examinations (other than the Junior Public Examination) held by that University, they have satisfied the examiners in Latin, or other language not being English, Elementary Pure Mathematics and Elementary Applied Mathematics. *Report of Council of Senate, 29 January, 1894. Grace, 1 March, 1894.*

C.

Draft of the Senate's Application to the University of Oxford.

To the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Oxford:

The Senate of the University of Toronto hereby respectfully apply to the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, Masters and Scholars of the University of Oxford, that the University of Toronto may be admitted to the privileges conferred by the University of Oxford on Colonial and Indian Universities.

This University was originally incorporated by an Imperial Royal Charter under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, dated the 15th March, 1827, under the name of the University of King's College, and was constituted a University, and declared to have and enjoy all such and the like privileges as were then enjoyed by the Universities of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the members of its convocation were declared to have, exercise and enjoy all such and the like privileges as were then enjoyed by the members of the convocation of the University of Oxford.

That subsequently the name of the said University was changed to that of the University of Toronto, but, subject to the provisions of the statutes in that behalf, so much of the said Royal Charter as was not inconsistent with the said statutes, was declared to be continued in force.

That this University has power to examine for, and after examination to confer the several degrees of Bachelor and Master of Arts, Bachelor and Doctor of Laws, Science, Philosophy, Medicine and Music, and Master in Surgery and the degree of Civil Engineer and Mechanical Engineer, and also the several degrees of Bachelor, Master and Doctor in any department of knowledge whatever, except Theology.

That this University has prescribed regulations and a curriculum of the studies and subjects for the examination of candidates for such degrees, and also for the scholarships, honors and prizes offered by this University amongst such candidates.

That the curriculum for the degree of B.A. extends over four years after the student has passed the Junior Matriculation, requiring in all five examinations, of which particulars are given on pages 53-133 of the calendar sent with this application.

The curriculum for the degree of LL.B. extends over four years from Junior Matriculation or the Second Arts examination, with four annual examinations, of which particulars are given on page 188.

The curriculum for the degree of M.B. extends over four years, with three examinations in addition to Matriculation, particulars of which are given on pages 136-183.

Copies of the calendar of this University, and of the regulations and curriculum of studies adopted by the Senate on the 13th day of May, 1895, and now in force in this University, are sent herewith for the information of your University.

This University is willing to accept and observe the conditions prescribed by the statute of the University of Oxford respecting Colonial and Indian Universities.

(Signed), W. MULOCK,
Vice-Chancellor.

JAS. BREBNER,
Registrar.

D.

Draft of the Senate's Application to the University of Cambridge.

To the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Cambridge:

The Senate of the University of Toronto hereby respectfully apply to the Chancellor, Vice-Chancellor, Masters and Scholars of the University of Cambridge, that the University of Toronto may be adopted as an institution affiliated to the University of Cambridge under the regulations now in force respecting the affiliation of Colleges, and with the same privileges as have been accorded to the graduates and undergraduates of the University of Adelaide.

This University was originally incorporated by an Imperial Royal Charter under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom, dated the 15th March, 1827, under the name of the University of King's College, and was thereby constituted a University, and declared to have and enjoy all such and the like privileges as were then enjoyed by the Universities of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland.

That subsequently the name of this University was changed to that of the University of Toronto, but, subject to the provisions of the Statutes in that behalf, so much of the said Royal Charter as was not inconsistent with the said Statutes, was declared to be continued in force.

That the University has power to examine for, and after examination, to confer the several degrees of Bachelor and Master of Arts, Bachelor and Doctor of Laws, Science, Philosophy, Medicine and Music, and Master in Surgery and the degree of Civil Engineer and Mechanical Engineer, and also the several degrees of Bachelor, Master and Doctor in any department of knowledge whatever, except Theology.

That this University has prescribed regulations and a curriculum of studies and subjects for the examination of candidates for such degrees, and also for the scholarships, honors and prizes offered by the University for competition amongst such candidates.

That the curriculum for the degree of B.A. extends over four years after the student has passed the Junior Matriculation, requiring in all five examinations of which particulars are given on pages 53-133 of the Calendar sent with this application.

The curriculum for the degree of LL.B. extends over four years from Senior Matriculation or the Second Arts examination with four annual examinations, of which particulars are given on page 188.

The curriculum for the degree of M.B. extends over four years with three examinations in addition to Matriculation, particulars of which are given on pages 136-183.

This University is willing to accept and observe the conditions prescribed by the general regulations of the University of Cambridge for affiliated institutions.

Copies of the calendar of this University for the year 1894-5, and of the regulations and curriculum of studies adopted by the Senate on the 13th day of May, 1895, and now in force in this University, are sent herewith for the information of your University.

(Signed), W. MULOCK,
Vice-Chancellor.
JAS. BREBNER,
Registrar.

Resolution of a Special Meeting of the Senate held on the 25th June, 1895, adopting the Report of the Special Committee.

On motion of Mr. Thomas Hodgins, seconded by Professor Hutton, it was unanimously

Resolved, that the report of the Special Committee on the applications to the English Universities named in the report be received and adopted, and that the draft applications be adopted and made by the Senate to the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge, as recommended by the Committee, for the grant of the affiliation priveleges mentioned in the documents appended to the said report, so that members of this University of two year's standing, or over, may be admitted to the said Universities without examination and enabled to obtain their degrees therein after two years from their admission, and on the conditions prescribed by the Statutes and regulations of the said Universities appended to the report.

The Vice-Chancellor of the University of Oxford to the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Toronto.

QUEEN'S COLLEGE,
OXFORD, 13th July, 1895.

DEAR SIR,—I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 2nd instant, and to inform you that I will lay the same before the Hebdomadal Council of the University at the earliest possible date in next term.

I have the honor to be,
Yours very faithfully,

(Signed), JOHN R. MAGRATH,
Vice-Chancellor of the University of Oxford.

The Vice-Chancellor of the University of Toronto.

The Vice-Chancellor of the University of Cambridge to the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Toronto.

THE LODGE, KING'S COLLEGE,
CAMBRIDGE, July 13th, 1895

MY DEAR SIR,—I have to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of application for the affiliation of the University of Toronto, together with a copy of your calendar.

It will not be possible to take any steps in the matter till October next; but I will ask my successor (in the office of Vice-Chancellor) to deal with the application.

Yours faithfully,

(Signed), A. AUSTIN LEIGH,
Vice-Chancellor.

The Vice-Chancellor of the University of Toronto.

Extract of the Minutes of the Senate, 13th October, 1895.

The foregoing letters from the Vice-Chancellors of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge, acknowledging the receipt of the applications of this University to be admitted to the special privileges granted to Colonial Universities were read and ordered to be fyled.

The Secretary of the Council, University of Cambridge, to the Registrar of the University of Toronto.

SYNDICATE BUILDINGS,
CAMBRIDGE, 30th October, 1895.

SIR,—The Council of the Senate of the University of Cambridge have had under their consideration the application for affiliation received from the University of Toronto, and they are prepared to recommend to the Senate the adoption of the University of Toronto as an affiliated institution under the conditions named in the enclosed draft. Before taking the step, however, they will be glad to learn the views of your University with regard to the conditions proposed.

I am sending a copy of the general regulations for affiliated institutions,* as well as the special regulations drafted for Toronto, and I shall be obliged if you will at your convenience inform me as to the views taken by your University.

I am, Sir, yours very faithfully,

(Signed) J. N. KEYNES,
Secretary of the Council of the Senate
of the University of Cambridge.

To the Registrar of the University of Toronto, Canada.

[*Enclosure.*]

"1. That the University of Toronto be admitted as an institution affiliated to the University of Cambridge.

"2. That matriculated students of the University of Toronto who have completed therein two academical years of study, and have passed the First and Second Annual Examinations for the degree of Bachelor of Arts, be entitled to be admitted to the privileges of affiliation."

The Registrar of the University of Oxford to the Registrar of the University of Toronto.

REGISTRAR OF THE UNIVERSITY'S OFFICE,
BROAD STREET, OXFORD, November 26th, 1805.

SIR,—I beg to notify to the Vice-Chancellor and to the Senate of the University of Toronto, that in a Convocation of the University of Oxford, duly holden on Tuesday, November the 26th, 1895, the following Decree was voted unanimously:—

"*That the University of Toronto be admitted to the privileges of a Colonial University under the provisions of Statt. Tit. II., Sectio. VII., on Colonial and Indian Universities.*"

I enclose a printed copy of the Section VII. referred to.†

I remain, faithfully yours,

(Signed) EDWARD T. TURNER,
Registrar of the University of Oxford.

J. BREBNER, ESQ.,
Registrar of the University of Toronto.

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*See page 9 *ante*. †See page 6 *ante*.

Extract of the Minutes of the Senate, 14th December, 1895.

A letter was read from J. N. Keynes, Secretary of the Council of the Senate of the University of Cambridge, enclosing the draft report of the Council of the Senate of the University of Cambridge, to which the application of this University to be admitted to the special privileges of affiliation had been referred.

A letter was also read from Edward T. Turner, Registrar of the University of Oxford, enclosing the Decree admitting this University to affiliation, unanimously voted in a Convocation duly holden on Tuesday, November the 26th, 1895.

The communications from the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge were ordered to be referred to a Special Committee consisting of President Loudon, Rev. Dr. Sheraton, Rev. Dr. Caven, Chancellor Burwash, Mr. B. E. Walker, Mr. King, Dr. Graham, and Professor Hutton (Convener).

The above communication from the University of Cambridge was referred to Mr. Hodgins, the former Chairman of the Special Committee, who thereupon made the following report:—

TORONTO, 19th November, 1895.

DEAR MR. VICE-CHANCELLOR:—I have read the letter of the Secretary of the Council of the Senate of the University of Cambridge to the Registrar, dated the 30th ultimo, on the application of our University for Special Affiliation, and would suggest a reply to the following effect:—

The application of the Senate to the University of Cambridge asked that we should be granted the same privileges as those conferred upon the University of Adelaide, by which our matriculated students who had passed the first and second annual examinations for the degree of Bachelor of Arts, Laws, or Medicine, in our University, should be entitled to be admitted to the privileges of affiliation in the University of Cambridge.

The draft of the proposed Statute recommended by the Council of the Cambridge Senate provides that matriculated students in the Faculty of Arts may be granted the privileges of affiliation, and to that extent it is a partial grant of our application, and is satisfactory. But there is nothing in the Secretary's letter, nor in the draft statute or grace, informing the Senate of any objection to the grant of similar privileges to our matriculated students in the Faculties of Law and Medicine, and such as have been granted by the grace of the Cambridge Senate, to the matriculated students of the University of Adelaide.*

The Cambridge University Calendar, under the title of "Proceedings in Medicine," states that "Medical study out of the University shall in all cases be understood to mean study at some well-known School of Medicine, which shall have been recognized by the Special Board for Medicine."

And in the list of "Colonial and Foreign Schools of Medicine and Hospitals recognized by the University of Cambridge," appear the names of Johns Hopkins University and McGill University, the curricula and standards of medical lectures and examination in which are similar to those in the University of Toronto.

It will be necessary for you to ascertain from the Secretary of the Council the decision of the authorities of the University of Cambridge respecting our University's application for affiliation privileges in the Faculties of Law and Medicine.

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* See page 10, *ante*.

The application sent by our Senate to the University of Cambridge stated that "this University is willing to accept and observe the conditions prescribed by the general regulations of the University of Cambridge for Affiliated Institutions." A copy of the General Regulations, which the Secretary of the Council has enclosed, was attached to the draft form of application prepared by the Senate Committee, which our Senate adopted and ordered to be forwarded to the Vice-Chancellor of the University of Cambridge.

It would be proper to inquire if the Council of the Senate requires any further assent of this University to these general regulations.

Yours faithfully,

(Signed) THOMAS HODGINS,

WILLIAM MULOCK, ESQ., Q.C., M.P.,
Vice-Chancellor of the University of Toronto.

The Registrar of the University of Toronto to the Secretary of the Council, University of Cambridge.

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO,
22nd November, 1895.

SIR,—I am directed by the Vice-Chancellor of this University to enclose a copy of the report of Mr. Thomas Hodgins, Q.C., the former chairman of the Special Committee on the application of the University of Toronto for the grant of special affiliation privileges from the University of Cambridge, in answer to your communication of the 30th ultimo.

I am, etc.,

(Signed) JAMES BREBNER,
Registrar.

J. A. KEYNES, ESQ.,
Secretary to the Council, University of Cambridge.

The Secretary of the Council, University of Cambridge, to the Registrar of the University of Toronto.

SYNDICATE BUILDINGS,
CAMBRIDGE, 19th December, 1895.

DEAR SIR,—The Affiliation Committee of the Council of the Senate have considered your letter and enclosure of 22nd November, 1895, and they have requested me to reply on their behalf.

The Committee made no proposal with regard to students of Law in the University of Toronto, as they had no information concerning the nature of the

course which such students are required to pursue. The Calendar (page 188) merely states that the curriculum in law is at present in process of revision.

The principal reason why no proposal was made with regard to students of Medicine was that the examinations for the degree of M.B., subsequent to the Junior Matriculation Examination, appeared to include none but scientific and professional subjects, and hence the Committee came to the conclusion that they had not sufficient evidence before them that students of medicine would have shewn such proficiency in the subjects of general education as would justify this University in admitting them to an Honor B.A. Examination. It is to be observed whilst affiliation under the existing regulations exempts all students, including students in medicine from the previous examination in Arts, it shortens the course only for the B.A., or the LL.B. degree in honors, not for any other degree.

The above remarks will shew why the Committee proposed to limit the privileges of affiliation in the case of the University of Toronto to those matriculated students who had passed the first and second annual examinations for the degree of B.A. The Committee will, however, be quite ready to reconsider the question if they are desired to do so by your University. In this case I shall be glad to receive information as to the prescribed curriculum for students of law, and it may be advantageous that I should be furnished with specimens of the papers set in the Junior Matriculation Examination. You will observe that in the case of the University of Adelaide, affiliated students must have satisfied the examiners in certain specified subjects in some one or more of the examinations, other than the Junior Public Examination, held by that University. A somewhat similar proviso might, if necessary, be introduced in the regulations for the affiliation of Toronto.

I do not know whether you have any students who are likely to desire to be admitted to the privileges of affiliation here in the near future. Should this be so, it may be well to proceed with the draft regulations as already sent to you, and supplement them by further regulations later on. If, however, there is no pressing need for hurry, it will be better to wait until we can decide the whole question at once.

I may perhaps point out that, independently of any modification in the conditions of affiliation, the object in view with regard to students of medicine, as indicated by Mr. Hodgins' letter, might be in a large degree attained if the University of Toronto were to be recognized by the Cambridge Special Board for Medicine as a Colonial School. Students preparing for the Cambridge M.B. degree might then spend two out of the required five years of study at Toronto, either before or after the required three years of residence at Cambridge. For this recognition an application on behalf of the University should be made to the Special Board, and there is good reason to believe that it would at once be granted.

No further notification of assent to the General Regulations for affiliation is necessary for our purposes. But I shall be glad to hear from you further with regard to the special Regulations proposed for Toronto.

I am,

Faithfully yours,

(Signed) J. N. KEYNES.

To James Brebner, Esq.,
Registrar, University of Toronto.

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Extract from the Minutes of the Senate, 10th January, 1896.

A letter was read from J. N. Keynes, Secretary to the Council of the Senate of the University of Cambridge, respecting the application of this University for admission to the special privileges granted to Colonial and Indian Universities.

The communication was ordered to be referred to the Special Committee to which previous communications from the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge on the same subject had been referred.

Meeting of the Senate, 21st February, 1896.

On motion of Professor Hutton, seconded by Dr. Cavan, the following report of the Committee on the affiliation of this University with Oxford and Cambridge Universities was unanimously adopted.

Report of the Special Committee of Senate re *Oxford and Cambridge Affiliation.*

Your Committee beg to recommend :—

(1) That the Registrar be instructed to inform the authorities of the University of Cambridge that this University accepts affiliation with Cambridge in respect of the Arts Course, on the terms proposed.

(2) That the Registrar further, in accordance with the suggestion made from Cambridge, apply to the Cambridge Special Board for Medical Studies, for the admission of this University, in respect of its medical course, as a Colonial School of Medicine.

(3) That the Registrar, at the same time, enquire of the same correspondent whether it will be of any advantage to this University to receive the same affiliation in Medicine as has been granted to the University of Adelaide, and if so, whether the higher standard of matriculation contemplated by the Medical Council will entitle our medical students, when it comes into force, to affiliation with Cambridge such as the University of Adelaide possesses, and if not, what evidence of proficiency in the subjects of the Arts Course, and what examination of that course will be required by the University of Cambridge for this purpose.

(Signed) MAURICE HUTTON,
Chairman.

The Registrar of the University of Toronto to the Secretary of the Council, University of Cambridge.

UNIVERSITY OF TORONTO,
Registrar's Office, March 1st, 1896.

DEAR SIR,—I am directed to inform you that the Senate of the University of Toronto accepts affiliation to the University of Cambridge, in respect of the course in Arts, on the terms proposed in the draft report of the Council, dated the 21st of October, 1895.

It may be well to make some explanations with respect to the Curriculum in Law. In 1888 the University established the Honor Department of Political Science and prescribed a course of study, which was not materially changed until May, 1895. The Curriculum in Law was based on this Arts course, the work of the first year of the pass course in Arts was prescribed for Matriculation in Law, the work in Political Science of the second year in Arts—when the honor course began—was that for the first year in law, and this continued throughout, so that when a student completed his course in Honor Political Science, he had but one more year's work before his examination for LL.B.

I send herewith a copy of the Curriculum in Law for 1891-1895, which will remain in force until July 1st, 1897, so as to enable students in Political Science, who graduate in Arts this year, to take their degree in law under the old curriculum.

The committee of the Senate having in charge the revision of the Curriculum in Law, has not yet reported, but I hope to see the work completed before the close of the session, when I shall forward you a number of copies.

In accordance with your suggestion, I have been instructed by the Senate to make application to the Special Board for Medicine for the recognition of this University, in respect of its Faculty of Medicine as a Colonial School.

I have been instructed to enquire whether it will be of any advantage to this University to receive the same affiliation in medicine as has been granted to the University of Adelaide, and if so, whether the higher standard of matriculation contemplated by the Medical Council will entitle our medical students, when it comes into force, to affiliation with the University of Cambridge, such as the University of Adelaide possesses; and if not, what evidence of proficiency in the subjects of the Arts course and what examinations of that course will be required by the University of Cambridge for that purpose.

I may be permitted to explain the reference to the Medical Council, which is the licensing body for Ontario. For many years it accepted for matriculation a certificate of matriculation in any Canadian or British University, and as a consequence, the standard varied very greatly. In 1890 an arrangement was made, by which the examinations for matriculation in this University and for the various grades of teachers' certificates in this province, were to be conducted by a joint board, of which half of the members are appointed by the Senate of this University, and the other half by the Minister of Education for the Province. The University retained its right to fix the standard, and within a short time, the Law Society, the Medical Council and other educational institutions required students entering upon course of study with them to pass this matriculation examination.

The Medical Council in June last, after the new Curriculum in Arts had been issued, passed the following regulation: "Everyone desirous of being registered as a matriculated medical student in the register of this college, except as hereinafter provided, must on and after the 1st day of November, 1897, present to the registrar of the college the official certificate of having passed the Junior Matriculation Examination as conducted by the Education Department of Ontario, with not less than second class honors in each of the following subjects: English, Physics, Chemistry, Botany and Zoology; or in lieu thereof an official certificate of having passed the Junior Matriculation Examination as conducted by the Education Department of Ontario, and in addition thereto a certificate of having passed, not sooner than in the ensuing year, the Arts examination held at the end of the first year of the University course by a recognized University." This is much more than the University requires and will not be taken by all our students in medicine, only by those who propose to practice in Ontario. By reference to

the Curriculum in Arts, where the conditions for matriculation—the same for both Arts and Medicine—are defined, you will see that this University now requires a candidate to pass an examination in three languages, Latin and either French or German are compulsory, and in addition either Greek or the second Modern Language with Physical Science.

I am sending you a full set of our examination papers for 1895, which will show the character of the papers set in all the faculties and departments of this University.

If any further information is required, I shall be very glad to furnish it to the council.

I am, Sir,

Yours very truly,

(Signed), JAMES BREBNER,

Registrar.

J. N. KEYNES, ESQ.,

Secretary of the Council of the Senate of
the University of Cambridge.

The Secretary of the Special Board of Medicine, University of Cambridge, to the Registrar of the University of Toronto.

ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE,
CAMBRIDGE, 8th May, 1896.

MY DEAR SIR,—The Special Board of Medicine to-day agreed to recognize the University of Toronto as a Colonial School of Medicine, at which candidates for the medical degrees of this University may attend lectures and other courses of instruction.

Yours very truly,

(Signed), DONALD MACALISTER,

Secretary.

JAMES BREBNER, ESQ.,

Registrar, University of Toronto.

The Secretary of the Council, University of Cambridge to the Registrar of the University of Toronto.

SYNDICATE BUILDINGS,
CAMBRIDGE, 11th June, 1896.

DEAR SIR,—I have pleasure in informing you that on Thursday last the Senate passed a Grace confirming the recommendations relating to the University of Toronto contained in the report of the Council, of which I enclose a copy herewith. The effect of this is to entitle properly qualified students in Arts of your University to the privileges of affiliation in this University.

Early last month the Special Board for Medicine, in pursuance of their powers, placed the University of Toronto on their list of recognized Schools of Medicine. I am, however, officially informed that your students in Medicine will not (as Toronto or Cambridge students) be eligible for registration by the General Medical Council of the United Kingdom unless they have passed either the Departmental Arts Matriculation Examination, conducted by the Education Department of Ontario, or the Previous Examination of this University.

Affiliation, as I have already explained, exempts from a year's residence only those students who are proceeding to an Arts degree in Honors at Cambridge. If, however, you still desire that privileges of affiliation be extended to matriculated students in Medicine of your University, the Affiliation Committee are prepared to propose to the Council of the Senate that matriculated students of the University of Toronto who have completed therein two academical years of study, and have passed the Departmental Arts Matriculation Examination, and the first and second annual examinations for the degree of Bachelor of Medicine, shall be entitled to be admitted to the privileges of affiliation, provided that in some one of these examinations or other examinations conducted by the University of Toronto, they have satisfied the examiners in Latin, one other language not being English, Mathematics and Physics.

This arrangement would—

(1) Entitle a student affiliated under these conditions to be registered by the General Medical Council;

(2) Excuse him from the Previous Examination;

(3) Enable him to be a candidate for the B.A. degree in Honours at the end of two year's residence at Cambridge;

(4) In conjunction with the recognition of the Special Board for Medicine above referred to, enable him to proceed to a degree in Medicine at the end of three years of medical study in Cambridge.

As regards the affiliation of students in Law in your University, the Committee will be happy to consider the appropriate conditions so soon as they shall have received the copies which you kindly promise of the revised curriculum.

I am, faithfully yours,

(Signed), J. N. KEYNES,
Secretary of the Council of the Senate.

To the Registrar of the University of Toronto.

[*Enclosure.*]

Grace of the Senate of the University of Cambridge.

1. That the University of Toronto be adopted as an institution affiliated to the University of Cambridge.

2. That matriculated students of the University of Toronto who have completed therein two academical years of study, and have passed the First and Second Annual Examinations for the degree of Bachelor of Arts, be entitled to be admitted to the privileges of affiliation.

Extract from the Minutes of Senate, June 23rd, 1896.

The foregoing communication was read from J. N. Keynes, Secretary of the Council of the Senate of the University of Cambridge, enclosing a copy of the Grace of the University, granting to the University the privileges of affiliation in the Faculty of Arts, and suggesting that the Senate apply for similar privileges respecting the Faculty of Medicine. On motion of Prof. Macallum, seconded by Mr. J. M. Clark, it was *resolved* to make application for the privilege of affiliation in respect of the Faculty of Medicine, and that Chancellor Burwash, Professor Cameron and Professor Macallum, be appointed a Special Committee to draft the necessary application.

The Chairman of the Special Committee to the Secretary of the Council, University of Cambridge.

LONDON, W. C., September 4th, 1896.

DEAR SIR,—The Senate of the University of Toronto on the 23rd of June last, appointed a committee to deal with the question of affiliation of the University of Toronto with the University of Cambridge as regards medicine, and referred to this committee your communication of the 11th of June, with full powers to act for the University of Toronto.

This committee has had the matter under consideration and begs to accept the privileges of affiliation offered to students of medicine who have passed the Arts Departmental Matriculation of Ontario, and the first and second examinations in medicine of the University of Toronto.

The committee desires in addition to point out that the September Matriculation Examination of the University of Toronto is fully equal to the Arts Departmental Matriculation of Ontario from a literary standpoint, though not accepted by the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Ontario for purposes of registration, because that body seeks a common standard for all schools and colleges, such as the Arts Departmental Examination affords; and this committee would ask the University of Cambridge to accept the Matriculation Examination of the University of Toronto, which is practically the same as the other as a first step towards proceeding to the degrees in medicine of the University of Cambridge, even although such degrees be not registrable for the purpose of medical practice.

Yours obediently,

(Signed) I. H. CAMERON,

Chairman of the Committee.

J. N. KEYNES, ESQ.,
Secretary of the Council, University of Cambridge.

CORRESPONDENCE WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF TRINITY COLLEGE, DUBLIN.

TORONTO, 10th February, 1896.

REV. SIR,—The Senate of the University of Toronto have adopted a resolution, of which I enclose a copy,* and I now write to request to be informed of the terms and conditions upon which our University may be admitted to the special privileges mentioned on pages 9-10 of your Calendar.

Do the regulations of Trinity College mean that a student of a Colonial University who is of the proper standing for taking the degree, may be admitted to your University, and proceed to obtain a degree?

And does the expression "exercises for the degree" in section 3, mean that the examination questions for the degree, and the answers of the candidate in the Colonial University, are to be transmitted to the Regius Professor in your University?

In Oxford and Cambridge, an undergraduate in a Colonial University, who has passed his second year's examinations there, can be admitted into either University without examination, and may proceed to a degree in two years from his admission. Am I right in assuming that a similar policy has been adopted by the University of Dublin?

Your obedient servant,

(Signed) THOMAS HODGINS.

The Very Rev'd GEORGE SALMON, D.D.,
Provost of Trinity College, Dublin.

PROVOST'S HOUSE, TRINITY COLLEGE,
DUBLIN, February 20th, 1896.

DEAR SIR,—The regulations which you quote from p. 9-10 of the Calendar only relate to students who have obtained their education in Arts here. The old statutes enact that no one can get a degree without attendance in person to receive it, and this rule remains unaltered with respect to persons residing in these islands. But the regulations which you quote form a comparatively recent provision for the case of men who go abroad after having obtained the B.A. degree, and desire to proceed to higher degrees, and for the rare case (which has sometimes occurred) of men going away in the short interval between their passing the degree examination and having the degree formally conferred.

There are no "*ad eundem*" regulations except in the cases of Oxford and Cambridge, save that graduates of any chartered university are not required to pass a matriculation examination.

I dare say if it came before us as a practical question, we should not be unwilling to do as much for members of Indian and Colonial Universities as is done in Oxford and Cambridge. But though we have had Canadians who have got their whole education here, (when a tutor I have had such among my own pupils), I do not remember a case of a student desirous of completing here an education begun in Canada.

I am, very truly yours,

(Signed), GEO. SALMON.

THOMAS HODGINS, ESQ.,
Toronto.

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*See resolution of the Senate, p. 5.

Report of the former Chairman of the Special Committee on an application to the University of Trinity College, Dublin.

TORONTO, 28th September, 1896.

DEAR MR. VICE-CHANCELLOR,—Pursuant to the resolution of the Senate adopted on the 8th of June last, authorizing me to arrange, if I could do so, with the University of Trinity College, Dublin, for the affiliation of the University of Toronto on the same terms and conditions as those on which the University has already been affiliated with the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge, I have the honor to report that, after receiving in Dublin the resolution of the Senate, I called on the Reverend George Salmon, D.D., Provost of Trinity College, and explained to him the desire of the Senate for the affiliation of our University. He informed me that the sessions of the College Board were then over, and that it would not meet again until October, but he introduced me to several of the Senior Fellows of the University, members of the governing Board, to whom I explained the position of our University, its educational standards, the action of the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge in granting to us the privileges of affiliation, and the desire of the Senate to obtain similar privileges from the University of Dublin. And I also fully explained to them the reasons why such privileges should be extended to the University of Toronto, and answered, I trust satisfactorily, the questions asked of me by such members of the Board as I had the privilege of meeting.

They informed me that their University had not as yet made regulations similar to those adopted by Oxford and Cambridge for the affiliation of Colonial Universities. But they expressed themselves individually favorable to the policy of such regulations, and stated that if the University of Toronto presented a similar application to that presented by it to Oxford and Cambridge, it would be favorably considered, unless, as one member subsequently stated, some legal impediment in their charter, statutes or rules might prevent the University granting such affiliation privileges. But he also added that if any such impediment existed which could be got over by what he termed "a Queen's Letter," he was satisfied that such Queen's Letter could be obtained.

I therefore suggest that the Senate transmit to the University of Trinity College, Dublin, a formal application for the grant of affiliation privileges similar to those granted to the University by the Universities of Oxford and Cambridge; and I think from the observations made, and the interest manifested by the Provost and Senior Fellows in our University, that it will be successful, unless as above stated, some legal impediment may be found to interpose.

I have the honor, etc.,

(Signed) THOMAS HODGINS.

HON. WILLIAM MULOCK, LL.D., M.P.,
Vice-Chancellor, University of Toronto.